

Army Maneuver War Hits Hempstead

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Something About Proving Grounds

"The Reserve Officer," monthly publication for commissioned Army men, has in its August issue an interesting account of some of the equipment installed on the Jefferson Proving Ground at Madison, Ind. Since Jefferson and the Southwestern Proving Ground being constructed here are the only two new projects of their kind the article has immediate interest here—and it follows:

Reds Fall Back to Positions on Dnieper

Germans Claim to Have Captured Many Ships at Nikolaev

MOSCOW—(P)—The Red army holding positions to which they dropped back fought fiercely Tuesday against continuing German offensives stretching from the Lake Poisn region to Odessa, Russian reports said.

An announcement Monday night of the abandonment of Gingsiepp, rail gate to Leningrad in the northwest sector, followed a strategic retreat from the Smolensk and Nikolaev in the southwest. The new line appeared to be firmly held under tactics of keeping the Red army intact to inflict the heaviest losses on the invaders, the Russian report said.

Tuesday the communists without listing any positions said only that the battle continued overnight on the entire front.

Soviet and German armies were reported fighting within 75 miles of Leningrad, important naval base, after withdrawing from Kingsiepp.

Soviet abandonment of the city inside the Russian border near the Estonia border indicated the Germans were making fresh efforts to take the capital.

Up to Red Army

Authorized quarters in London commenting on the critical situation in the Ukraine said German occupation west of the Dnieper river was not a death blow to the USSR but that if the Nazis succeeded in smashing Marshall Budenny's army the result would be very serious.

British military experts said the ability of Russia to hold on the east side of the Dnieper would depend on the way Budenny deployed his reserves.

If the Germans should cross the river it was said there would be no other natural line of defense except the river Don, 250 miles due east of Dnieper-Petrovsk.)

Ship Captured

BERLIN—(P)—A 35,000-ton battleship, a 10,000 ton cruiser, 4 destroyers and 2 submarines all under construction at Nikolayev, Russia's southern Black Sea port and shipbuilding center—have fallen into Nazi hands, the German high command announced Tuesday in a special communiqué.

All territory west of the Dnieper river has been taken by the German and Allied forces, the communiqué said, and attacks are now in progress aimed at Odessa and Dnieper river bridgeheads between Kley and the sea which are still held by the Russians, the report said.

With the fall of Odessa German

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Military Police Work Praised

Military Council Commends Fine Work of M.P.'s

The Civilian Military Council Tuesday commended the fine manner in which the army's military police handled the situation in preserving peace and order when thousands of soldiers visited here over the weekend.

Out of more than 20,000 soldiers that visited Hope over the week-end only two had to be arrested by the military police. "The boys had a little too much to drink," local police put it, and were immediately picked up by the army police.

Local police especially praised the manner in which the military police handled the traffic situation here.

Captain John Geraty is in charge of the military police for this area and the Hope detail is in charge of Lt. Woodrow Mann. Over the week-end 16 military police were stationed at various points in the city, and were on duty here from 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon until 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

Think not of love as a debt
due in May or in December—
Florence Coates.

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Saenger to Hold Reopening Party on Wednesday

Remodeled Big Theater to Reopen With "Hold That Ghost"

The Saenger theater, largest exclusively theater building in Arkansas, which has been undergoing remodeling and redecorating for the last six weeks, will reopen at 7 o'clock Wednesday night.

The box office will open at 7, and Luther Holloman, well known local musician, will give an hour's concert on the organ. The feature picture, "Hold That Ghost," starring Lou Costello and Bud Abbott, who previously made "Buck Privates," will go on at 8 o'clock.

Telegrams of congratulations to Manager Remmel Young arrived Tuesday from the motion picture players on the studio lot at Universal City, Calif. They follow:

Lou Costello: "I know I'm a banned boy. But just the same I remembered to send you this wire with my best wishes for prosperity."

Bud Abbott: "Mighty glad to know that 'Hold That Ghost' is to be on the opening program at the Saenger. Lots of luck to everyone."

Mische Auer: "Sincerely hope for every success in the world."

John Davis: "Best wishes for the continued success of the Saenger theater."

The Saenger has been redecorated and repainted throughout, with new drapes and new wall designs.

The old marquee shows the most drastic change of all. With elimination of the old horizontal "Saenger" electric sign, a new neon theater-name sign rises vertically up the theater's front wall for 3½ feet.

Words mean little any more; few care what they say who speak for France; important only is what they do who act for France.

One thing ought to be made clear. Most of the things being done in France today have nothing to do with the armistice signed June 22, 1940, in the Compiegne Forest. This was a military convention providing for the stopping of the German-French war and setting up a framework of regulation for occupied France.

There is nothing in it providing that France must set up a Fassist state; nothing providing that minority groups must be persecuted and hounded; nothing providing phony trials to find convenient scapegoats; nothing binding France to co-operate in any "new order" in Europe; nothing directing how France should govern itself.

The Attorney General said the message was in answer to reports that he had ruled that 12 cemeteries in the Proving Ground area were private property, therefore not eligible for federal removal of bodies.

Das Department has ordered the bodies removed by September 4. Harris said in a telegram that the War Department had allotted funds and arranged to move bodies at public expense. Holt's aides said his office had "not even been asked for an opinion on the matter."

True, France was left little choice.

Germany received the right to terminate the armistice at any time it considered that the French were failing to fulfill its armistice obligations. A million Frenchmen are prisoners in Germany. Continental France is helpless.

But it is one thing to aid Hitler under compulsion force, because you are prostrate and helpless. The world would understand that. But it is quite another to go far afIELD from the terms of the armistice, to do things the Germans had not even thought of asking, to set up an autocratic domestic regime and proclaim that "authority no longer emanates from below." That differs from the proclamation that France only wishes to stand by her pledged word in the armistice.

If France is merely a conquered country with no will except that exercised in Berlin, all right. No one will reproach her for having fought and lost. It could happen to any country, our own not excepted, which loses the concerted will necessary to survival in this brutal world.

But a country in such a status must be treated by the world as such. France's acts, not Petain's words, must decide.

With the fall of Odessa German

U.S., Japanese Relations Tense

Japan Dislikes Shipment of Arms to Russians

By the Associated Press

Relations between Washington and Tokyo underwent more strain Tuesday as the Japanese warned the U. S. that she could not remain indifferent to shipments of munitions to Russia by way of Vladivostok.

The Japanese press also expressed grave concern over U. S. aid to Russia as pledged by President Roosevelt and the newspaper Kokumin declared:

"Hitherto Singapore has been the political strategic base and the political center of the Japanese encirclement. Now Vladivostok has become the north Singapore completing the circle."

U. S. Ambassador Joseph Grew disclosed that he had talked with Japanese government officials about the restriction of Americans leaving Japan and other problems.

Koh Ishii, Japanese cabinet spokesman, who sounded the warning on aid to Russia denied that told Americans as hostages in the deepening crisis.

The statement referred to Secretary of State Hull's assertion that Japan had not given a satisfactory answer on the failure to permit some

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A. & P. to Open Super-Market on South Main Street Thursday; Parking Areas on Two Sides of Building



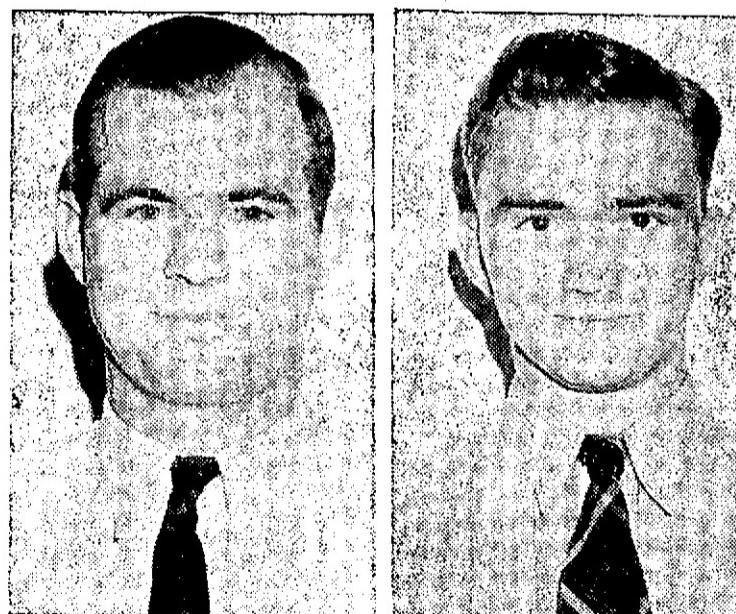
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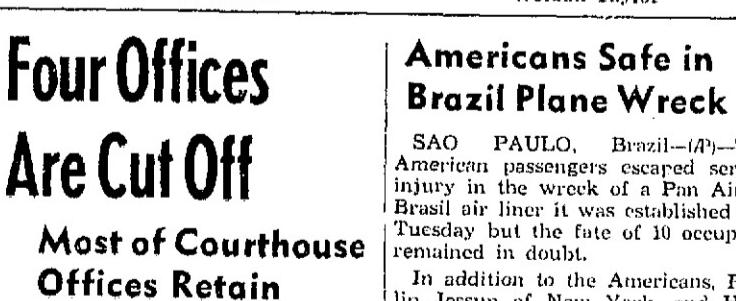
N. W. Page, Market Manager

Royce L. Smith, Manager



William Taylor

Weldon Taylor



Americans Safe in
Brazil Plane Wreck

Most of Courthouse
Offices Retain
Electricity

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. will open Hope's first super-type food market at 419 South Main street Thursday, August 21.

The new store, housed in a building erected especially for A. & P. by R. D. Franklin of Hope, and built by John Booth, contractor, represents not only a streamlined merchandising development but an extension of the Hope business district southward past the First Baptist church—and provides parking for customers on two sides of the grocery building.

The A. & P. building of buff brick, has a 50-foot front of glass, ornate muntin with black glass trim, and the structure is 100 feet deep. Spacious concrete parking slabs allow parking across the front of the building inside the street curb, and concrete parking slabs run down the entire south side of the building, which borders on an alley. Flood-lights illuminate the parking spaces at night.

A staff of 10 persons will operate the store under the management of Royce L. Smith.

Equipment and furnishings are ultra-modern. Fluorescent lighting fixtures flood the building with illumination.

The store floor is of asphalt tile, and through you to the other individuals who have assisted in this matter my appreciation of this action.

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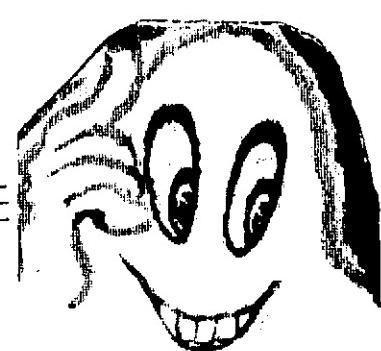


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WEDNESDAY Night, August 20th, 7 o'clock

To the people of Hope, Hempstead County and South Arkansas we extend an invitation to each of you to attend the grand opening of this beautiful theatre. Make your plans now to be in Hope Wednesday Night, August 20th, and help us celebrate our Grand Opening.

Featuring Music by Luther Hollamon
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Abbott**



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Costello**

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The ANDREWS SISTERS
TED LEWIS And His Entertainers

You knew you were seeing things in "BUCK PRIVATES." And hearing things in "IN THE NAVY." But you've seen nothing, heard nothing, till you've seen nothing, heard nothing, till you get a load of "HOLD THAT GHOST."



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Standings

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Club	W. L Pct.
Atlanta	86 46 .652
Nashville	68 56 .548
New Orleans	68 53 .519
Chattanooga	68 62 .516
Birmingham	61 57 .477
Memphis	56 72 .438
Little Rock	53 71 .427
Knoxville	53 74 .417

Monday's Results

New Orleans 6, Knoxville 2. Chattanooga 6, Little Rock 2 (second game called after second rain). Memphis 12, Atlanta 6. Nashville 2, Birmingham 1.

Games Tuesday

Chattanooga at Little Rock, 2 Memphis at Atlanta. Birmingham at Nashville. New Orleans at Knoxville.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	W. L Pct.
New York	80 39 .672
Chicago	62 55 .530
Boston	60 55 .522
Cleveland	59 55 .518
Detroit	53 63 .457
Philadelphia	51 63 .447
Washington	48 65 .425
St. Louis	47 65 .420

Monday's Results

New York-Detroit, rain. Washington 4, Cleveland 2. Boston-St. Louis, rain. Only games scheduled.

Games Tuesday

Boston at St. Louis. New York at Detroit. Philadelphia at Chicago. Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	W. L Pct.
Brooklyn	73 40 .646
St. Louis	72 41 .637
Cincinnati	62 49 .559
Pittsburgh	60 50 .545
New York	56 65 .505
Chicago	49 67 .422
Boston	48 66 .411
Philadelphia	31 81 .277

Monday's Results

Brooklyn 6, Pittsburgh 5. Cincinnati 13-5, Philadelphia 5-4. New York 6-7, Chicago 4-1. Only games scheduled.

Games Tuesday

Chicago at New York. Pittsburgh at Brooklyn. St. Louis at Boston. Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

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Answer to Cranium Crackers

Questions on Page One

1. The Lincoln Highway runs 3000 miles from Atlantic City, N. J. to San Francisco, Calif., over Routes 30, 30S, 40 and 50.

2. The Santa Fe Trail, following the old trail of that name, is Route 66 from Chicago to Los Angeles.

3. The Roosevelt International Highway is Route 2, running from Bangor, Me., to Montreal, across Canada to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and across northern United States to Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

4. The Dixie Highway is Route 4, from Michigan to Florida.

5. The Oregon Trail is Route 30N from Ogden, Utah, to Portland, Ore., the Arrowhead Trail is Route 91 from Ogden to Los Angeles; the Old Spanish Trail is Route 99 from Jacksonville, Fla., to New Orleans and El Paso, Tex.

Real Estate For Sale

Sometimes Fam

CYNTHIANA, Ky.—(AP)—Walter C. Fieback is surprised at the tremendous volume of mail he has received commenting on the unusual name of his son, Cathedral Congo, a volunteer in the army.

It was chosen, the father said, because of the rhythmical sound of the two words.

Other Fiebacks have borne the names Pharaoh, Tugger, Timore, France, Italy and Aquilah.

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Navy Builds Its Own 'Dunkirk'

Private Yachts Are Joining Up for Duration

By FRED BROWNING
AP Feature Service Writer
NEW YORK — The United States CoCast Guard, after 151 years of answering calls for help, has cuffed its hands and let out a mighty blow of its own.

And from snooty yacht clubs, private docks and busy harbors, motorboat scum are a putt-putt-putting to the aid of their long-time guard angel.

When the preparedness program pulled a third of the Coast Guard's manpower and a great part of its craft away from regular duty, the coastline watch-dogs found themselves hard-pressed to handle normal work, to say nothing of countless new duties.

And so the Coast Guard needs men—and boats.

It takes only a short visit to the New York district of the Coast Guard Reserve to see how the service is getting them. Here's an incident that is typical:

A lean, sun-tanned, prosperous-looking man just under middle age takes his turn in line to see Lieutenant P. D. Mills, in charge of the Coast Guard's district reserve program.

Admitted to Mills' office the visitor wastes no time.

"I have a boat," he says. "I hear the Coast Guard need em."

He pulls from an envelope the picture of a handsome 35-foot cruiser, now cutting the waves, a laughing couple on the deck.

"That's my boat," he says. "She'll cruise at 21 knots, can do 35. I have a crew of two men. They go with the boat. Do you want 'em?"

"And for how long are you offering your boat?" Mills asks.

The minimum period is a month—and here's the payoff on the way: yachtsmen are responding to the Coast Guard plan:

"Well, she's yours for the duration of the emergency—as long as you can use her."

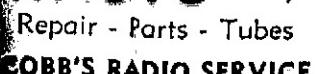
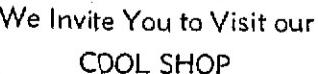
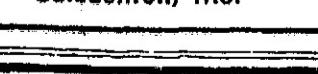
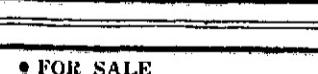
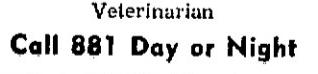
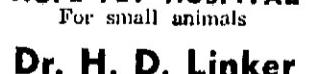
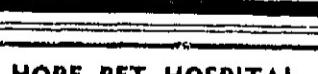
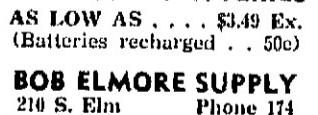
Gads Flag and Number

That man's boat will become a regular Coast Guard unit, with a Coast Guard flag and a Coast Guard Reserve number. Its crew, will become regular members of the Coast Guard



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OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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for as long as the boat is in service. They will be rated according to service standards, equipped with regular uniforms (they buy them and are refunded up to \$100), and paid regular salaries. Pay ranges from \$54 for a seaman up to \$126 for a chief petty officer, plus an additional \$34 for dependents in the upper brackets.

Many owners go into service right along with their boats; some receive commissions if their term of service is long enough and they qualify otherwise.

Skippers of the 31 civilian boats which are or have been in service around New York include a Stock Exchange member, the head of a bookbinding firm, a liquor magnate, an advertising executive, and a former lieutenant in the World War Navy.

Here's how the Coast Guard's new branch came into being. It dates back to June, 1939, when Congress created the Coast Guard Reserve, a voluntary, non-military organization of private yachtsmen belonging to units called flotillas, of at least 10 boats.

But in February of this year the Coast Guard Reserve and Auxiliary unit transferred all members of the former Reserve to the Coast Guard Auxiliary and also set up a militarized unit, known as the Coast Guard Reserve, which is similar to the reserve branches of other services.

No Military Regulations
Members of the Auxiliary are sub-

ject to no military regulations, merely belong to a local flotilla of 10 or more boats and take instructions designed to promote (a) cooperation with the Coast Guard, (b) interest in safety at sea and upon navigable waters, (c) better understanding of the rules and laws of navigation and operation of vessels.

Under the act the Temporary Reserve also came into being. It's into this branch that volunteer boats and crews are placed. Volunteers must be members of the auxiliary—but if non-members come in and offer their boats, it's a fairly simple matter to get the militia the auxiliary so that they and their boats may be accepted as Temporary Reservists. During the period of service they are actual Coast Guardsmen.

Vessels of about 30 feet are used for boarding duty. Every private boat in the New York district must be boarded and inspected twice a year and the smaller boats are assigned to this job. Larger boats, 40 feet and over, are used in open water for inspection patrol and rescue work.

Look Out for Sabotage

The Coast Guard feels that inshore patrols are especially necessary in the emergency. Piers and industries engaged in defense work must be kept under constant patrol. Temporary reservists participate in policing these defense areas and also are on the lookout for evidences of es-

pionage and sabotage.

Boatmen are assured that their craft will be returned to them at the end of the period of service in as good condition as they were received. All boat expenses are maintained by the government.

Coast Guardsmen like to point to the evacuation at Dunkirk as an example of the part yachtsmen can play in an emergency—and they confidently expect their plea to produce the constant force of 270 active boats they need to meet the present emergency.

Although she is a nice-looking, plain girl who got through high school without any trouble and who is competent at her job, she is working at a job that has no future and a mighty

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